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### MIDNIGHT MEETING.

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# SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

## BOARD OF MANAGERS.

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The Managers of the Midnight Mission herewith present their Sixth Annual Report to their patrons and the public. In doing so, they acknowledge their obligations to those who have practically sympathized with them in seeking to raise and rescue the fallen. Both the love of God and the love of man, religion and philanthropy urge us to go on in the good work in which we are engaged. The Divine Redeemer, whom we love and serve, said, "The Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost." As the shepherd of Judea sought, on highland and lowland, the sheep which had wandered from the fold, so He who called himself the Good Shepherd, sought painfully and wearily to relieve, rescue, comfort, sanctify and save men's souls. He fed his flock like a shepherd; He gathered the lambs with His arms and carried them in His bosom. When He found the torn and wounded one which had strayed from the fold and pasture, He laid it on His shoulder and brought it to the shelter rejoicing.



The Managers of the Midnight Mission are actuated by the spirit of the Master, and would follow his most blessed example. They long to seek and save the lost. They would hold out a helping hand to the fallen. Nor have they to go far to find the objects whom they would bless. They need not roam over moor and mountain. They need not seek them in secluded dells and ravines. They have only to step out into our city streets after nightfall, and they will find them, alas! by the hundred. It is said, that in this city there are to-day no less than twelve thousand of these poor daughters of crime and shame. Oh! that we might reach these with pitying hearts and helping hands!

The following is a statement of the year's work:

Remaining in the Home, Dec. 31st, 1872.....	15
Admitted in 1873.....	56
Placed out in situations.....	22
Restored to family.....	10
Placed in other Institutions.....	8
Left of their own accord.....	16
Remaining Dec. 31st, 1873.....	15

### RECAPITULATION.

Whole number in the Home during 1873.....	71
Of whom there were directly benefited.....	40
Returned to former habits .....	16

### SUMMARY FOR SIX YEARS.

Received.....	429
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Placed out in situations.....	205
Restored to friends.....	60
Total benefited.....	265

The above recapitulation does not include many who have been afforded temporary shelter, enroute for home, or who have returned to await a new opening in which to earn an honorable living.

With our increase in population, the army of lost grows larger by its chief conscripting agents—betrayal, mis-education and poverty. It is in this way that the system of moral murder is kept up and increased. The procuress is still abroad with her insidious flattery and deceitful allurements, impressing often those who are weak from their being the creatures of circumstances. The Country Home Fund, started by the little girl whose touching and sudden decease was mentioned in our last report, and whose contribution was but twenty dollars, has now reached the handsome sum of fifteen hundred dollars. When a sufficient sum is raised the Managers will proceed to secure a suitable building for that purpose, where the work can be more favorably prosecuted, both as regards numbers and increased facilities for success. To show that it is required, the Managers would state that the Home as now used has remained full throughout the year, with very little effort to bring in girls. If a country home, accommodating twice the number now in our house, was secured, we have no doubt that it would be immediately filled. The harvest is indeed ripe, and with a good sickle in the shape of sufficient funds, these poor creatures, cast out from all



the endearments of natural affection, from the peace and protection of home, abandoned to the insults of the brutal and drunken, the prey of remorse, want, disease and premature decay, might be gathered into the Lord's garner. It has been said that this class cannot be reformed—they have been called the lost ones—but we could, if it were proper, point with pride to many former inmates of our Home who have been leading virtuous lives and doing their Master's will for years, and who date the change in their lives from the time when they entered our Home, the shelter of which enabled them to regain their self-respect and confidence, through Christian guidance. Many of them having been driven from home for one wrong action, seek for a kind word, and hearing none except from the procuress, who is ever on the alert for new victims, their condition appeals powerfully to the generosity of our friends. Much of this work has been satisfactorily done. There is still room for additional workers and increased resources in this gratifying and blessed department of our Lord's vineyard. All the former argument in regard to the country home still holds good.

### INCIDENTS IN OUR WORK.

Three of the inmates of our Institution have during the past year married respectably, and are living happy domestic lives.

A poor feeble minded orphan girl, 19 years of age, was admitted to our Home, having the following history: She had been induced to come to the city for the ostensible

purpose of living out as a domestic; she resisted the efforts made to induce her to do wrong for six months, falling after that more through fear than inclination. At one time she ran away from the house where she had been engaged, but was captured by her enemies and taken back, and retained by threats. She was only able to escape finally through the breaking up of the nefarious establishment. Another girl, aged 19, whose mother had been long dead, and her father being a drunkard, *had boarded* for five months, and came into the Mission expressing a desire to abandon a life that had become so distasteful to her.

The following letters are selected as samples of a number which have been received by the Managers during the year, from former inmates.

*Dear Mrs.——*

I beg to be excused for not answering your kind letter sooner. I have been so much worried about my friend Mary——, that I wished her to be settled in a place away from temptation, where she would have kind friends to care for her. Now that I have been to see her, and know that she is in the Mission, I am satisfied.

Dear Mrs.—— how good it was of you to remember me all these past years. No wonder I found no peace in sinning, and my conscience would give me no rest; and to just think that you prayed for me when I thought I had not a friend in the world, because I did not expect to have friends ever again, and more especially you, Mrs.—— who I so shamefully treated. Therefore, when my sister



told me that Mrs.—— was coming to see me, I was surprised and angry at my sister for writing to her. I first felt very wicked about it; I felt that there was no use for anybody to talk to me any more; I was doomed, and I had nothing to say. Well, when Mrs.—— came I felt very defiant, expecting she would ask me questions about the past that I would not like to have answered. But the dear, good soul never said a word. She seemed to understand my case, for she went to work right off and showed me exactly where I stood. I shall never forget her first words of hope: "Blessed are they which hunger and thirst after righteousness, for they shall be filled," and God knows how I have thirsted. Now the Lord promised they should be filled, and I believed it; it was as plain as day to me, there was no more room for doubt. How *can* I doubt that Jesus is not my friend. Have I not have had plenty of proof? Me, the most guilty of all his creatures, would he still seek me out through his servants, would he put it in your hearts to pray for me and be kind to me if he did not care for me? Oh, no! dear Lord, I dare not, cannot doubt any more. His boundless mercy surprises me. If it is the will of my Heavenly Father that I should get better, dear Mrs.——, I wish to work for Jesus. Yes, every moment of my life I would devote to His dear service, and if I die, I know he will carry me through. Is it not glorious? Dear lady I could talk all day to you about this, but I have two more letters to write. Good-bye, and God bless you.



*My Dear Mrs.*————

Please excuse my delay in writing, for it is for want of time. I am so busy working that I do not get through my work till eight o'clock. Then I am so tired that I go to my room, sit down, read my Bible, and the Pathway of Safety, which work I am very thankful to Mrs. G. for; then say my prayers, always thinking of my kind friends and the Mission when I pray; and let me say that if the ladies knew how much good they were doing, and how God does and will bless their work, they would never think of getting discouraged.

Then if the seed be sown in good ground, it will bring forth abundantly; for the Saviour will water it with the dews of His Holy Spirit, and many a poor one, cast off by the world, will find rest at the feet of the Magdalene's Saviour; for He is Our Saviour, for He came to seek and to save that which was lost.

Mrs.———— it is a grand and glorious work you are in, let me tell you. You don't know what it is to be lost as we have been. You may have owed thirty pounds, but we have owed one hundred, and Jesus paid it all.

• There are many trials in the pathway of such as we are when we endeavor, by the grace of God, to do right, the cold sneer of the world, and worse than all, the doubts of Christian friends. But let that soul press on, keep looking unto Him who is willing to forgive if they fall, and will listen to our cries, and will stoop down and raise us up.

Dear Mrs.———— the Saviour will give you a bright and beautiful crown for the efforts you have made in trying to

bring some lost ones to seek Jesus. God bless them for their kind words to me ; for kind words never die.

### MEETINGS.

During the year the Thursday night meetings have been regularly held with the inmates and any others who wished to join.

The Sunday service of prayer and instruction have been satisfactorily continued.

Ministers who are willing to officiate at any of the Thursday night meetings, would be gladly accepted, and such are cordially invited to assist us from time to time.

Our thanks are tendered to our very efficient Matron, Mrs. Phœbe Brooks, for her motherly care of the household thus placed under her charge ; also to the friends who conducted the Bible Class and Services on Thursdays and Sundays. Likewise to Miss Miller, for taking charge of the Bible Class during the absence of the teacher, and to the Rev. C. G. Currie, for his admirable sermon at our last Anniversary.





## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

It is with great pleasure that we acknowledge the kind and timely bequest of Mrs. Frances A. Lea, for \$1000, which will soon be paid into our treasury. We propose to place it in our Country Home Fund. This gift has gladdened our hearts, and will brighten our prospects for the future.

Collections, St. Luke's P.		T. A. B. ....	\$10
E. Church.....	\$167	H. P. & W. P. Smith....	10
Mrs. P. A. Lewis.....	20	P. H. Kemble.....	10
C. H. Clark.....	20	D. S. Brown & Co.....	10
Warring & Bros.....	25	S. Davis Page.....	10
Shortridge, Borden & Co.	25	R. C. McMurtrie.....	10
Infant School St. Paul's		Lawrence Lewis.....	10
P. E. Church.....	50	Thos. A. Scott.....	10
A. J. Baton.....	25	C. & H. Borie.....	10
Mrs. S. C. Savage.....	50	Alex. Whilldin & Co....	10
Little Ada, through Dr.		Elias L. Boeidinot..	10
Curtin, for Country		E. W. Clark & Co....	10
Home.....	10	Charles Wheeler.....	10
Mrs. Harriet Robinson,		Richard Penistan.....	10
Hartford, Country		R. M. Lewis.....	10
Home.....	15	Miss Haines.....	10
Mrs. J. Robinson, Hart-		Homer, Colladay & Co..	10
ford, Country Home .	25	Mrs. E. S. Buckley.....	10
Mrs. Geo. Robinson, Hart-		R. Owen & Family.....	10
ford, Country Home..	5	Morris, Tasker & Co....	10
Mrs. Edwin Taylor, Hart-		Atmore & Son.....	10
ford, Country Home..	15	Browning & Bro.....	10
E. P. Taylor.....	5	M. Casey Lea.....	10
Mrs. John G. Watmough,	10	F. A. Lewis.....	10
Atmore & Son.....	10	Chas. Morton, through	
Mrs. Isaac Lea.....	10	Rev. Dr. Newton....	5
" Jos. Harrison.....	10	Williams, Yerkes & Co....	5
" C. S. Coxe.....	10	Baugh & Sons.....	5
" T. A. Scott.....	10	Chas. Ellis.....	5
John B. Gillespie.....	10	Hood, Bonbright & Co....	5
Miss Charlotte N. Brown	10	Edwin Kirkpatrick.....	5
Mrs. W. S. Vaux.....	10	D. Scull, Jr.....	5
" Dr. David Jayne....	10	Wm. Nyce.....	5



Mary R. Fox.....	\$5	Mrs. Sam'l Smith.....	\$5
G. W. T. ....	5	“ John E. Cope.. ....	5
Mrs. E. R. Wood.....	5	“ W. H. Jenks.....	5
D. B. J. Garrison.....	5	“ W. S. Peirce.....	5
Mrs. J. C. Morris.....	5	“ K. B. Wells.....	5
Neafie & Levy .....	5	“ A. M. Morrison.....	5
Mrs. Jos. Van Pelt.....	5	Ann H. Wood.....	5
“ B. Borie.....	5	John Thornton.....	5
Geo. Macclain .....	5	Mrs. T. B. Belfield.....	5
Mrs. Thos. A. Biddle.....	5	“ H. A. Hieskell.....	5
“ Sam'l Robb .....	5	“ Cleveland.....	5
“ R. E. Roberts.....	5	“ C. B. Blatchley .....	5
“ Jas. Bayard.....	5	Jos. Harrison.....	5
“ C. L. Borie.....	5	Eli K. Price.....	5
Henry Haines ... ..	5	Mrs. W. H. Wilson.....	5
Jas. Whitall.....	5	Henry McKean.....	5
S. W. Roberts.....	5	Mrs. W. H. Kemble.....	5
Mrs. H. Fassett....	5	“ S. Gross Fry.....	5
“ E. Coleman.....	5	C. W. Frailey.....	5
Eliza H. Horner.....	5	Mrs. A. M. Clements.....	5
Mrs. E. Hollingsworth....	5	“ W. G. Mathews.....	5
“ E. Siter.....	5	Mr. W. Mathews.....	5
“ E. R. Sterling.....	5	Wm. B. Bement & Son....	5
“ J. L. Ludlow.....	5	Mrs. E. S. H.....	5
“ A. R. Fell.....	5	E. W. D.....	5
“ J. T. Tait .....	5	C. E. Claghorn....	5
“ P. C. Harris.....	5	Wm. F. Read.....	5
“ E. S. Willing.....	5	B. K. Jamison & Co.....	5
“ W. R. Lejee.....	5	Noblit, Brown & Co.....	5
“ Kortwright.....	5	B. B. Comegys.....	5
E. Copie Shapley.....	5	Fenton, Thompson & Co..	5
Mrs. C. J. Wurts.....	5	John A. McAllister.....	5
“ John Clayton .....	5	M. P. Stacy.....	5
“ O. Landreth.....	5	Cheston L. Smith .....	5
“ T. L. Jewett.....	5	Mrs. A. E. Simpson.....	5
“ H. C. Lea.....	5	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	5
L. Y. Walraven.....	5	H. W. Gwianer.....	5
J. Wolverton.....	5	H. G. W.....	5
Wm. Cramp & Son.....	5	S. S. Pancoast.....	5
Pemberton & Hutchinson.	5	J. T. Mitchell.....	5
Mrs. R. F. Fenimore.....	5	Chas. Dutilh.....	5
“ W. C. Keehmle.....	5	G. W. Huntzinger.....	5
Charles Schaffer.....	5	G. S. Fox.....	5
Mrs. Hugh Craig.....	5	E. C. Darby.....	5
“ Geo. Vaux.....	5	Wm. Montelius.. ..	5
“ Thos. Miles.....	5	Vandusen, Bro. & Co.....	5
“ A. K. Massey.....	5	S. & J. M. Flanigan.....	5
“ E. M. Showell.....	5	Thos. Clarke.....	5

F. B. Colton.....	\$5	Wm. R. Hart.....	\$5
A. G. Cattell & Co..	5	C. W. Trotter.....	5
Reeves & Parvin.....	5	W. H. Trotter.....	5
Justice, Bateman & Co....	5	M. C. Cope.....	5
Bettle & Bro.....	5	J. P. Brock.....	5
Edw'd F. Mason.....	5	Mrs. Binney.....	5
Edwin Hall.....	5	Chas. Scott.....	5
J. B. Moorhead.....	5	T. P. Galvin .....	5
Glendenning, Daniels & Co.	5	W. A. L.....	5
Henry M. Laing.....	5	Alex. Bush & Atkinson...	5
Fenton, Rau & Sibley.....	5	John W. Scott.....	5
H. B., Jr.....	5	Treble, Britton & W....	5
Robt. Shoemaker.....	5	C. S. Garrett.....	5
A. K. McClure.....	5	Lloyd, S. & Walton.....	5
N. Winsor.....	5	Bennett & Co.....	5
Iungerich & Smith.....	5	A. R. Hall.....	5
Wm. Arrott.....	5	Patterson & Lippincott...	5
A. M. Collins.....	5	Henry Croskey & Co.....	5
G. T. W. J. & Co.....	5	Mrs. Benj. Marshall.....	5
G. W. Biddle.....	5	Hugh Davids.....	5
Mrs. Thos. Clyde.....	5	J. Spear.....	5
“ T. A. Newhall.....	5	G. W. T.....	5
“ C. Button.....	5	H. P. & W. P. Smith.....	5
Dr. Eshleman.....	5	Harrington & Goodman...	5
Mrs. G. M. Wagner.....	5	Mrs. Chapman Freeman..	5
“ L. D. Vail.....	5	Chapman Freeman.....	5
Dr. David Jayne Sons.....	5	E. K.....	5
E. Lafourcade, Irwin & Co.	5	J. P. Morris .....	3
E. Magargee.....	5	J. S. Clark.....	3
Ed. L. Steele & Co.....	5	A. E. Carpenter.....	3
J. Gladding & Son.....	5	S. E. Bohlen.....	3
W. F. Warburton.....	5	Mrs. F. O. Allen.....	3
John C. File.....	5	“ G. D. Wetherill.....	3
Geo. K. Zeigler.....	5	“ B. T. Frederick.....	3
J. M. Whitall.....	5	“ Jas. Orne.....	3
L. C. Cassiday.....	5	“ W. B. Smith.....	3
Mrs. A. R. Little.....	5	“ G. F. Peabody..	3
G. B. Roberts.....	5	“ Chas. Zeigler.....	3
G. H. Stuart.....	5	D. T. Pratt.....	3
Weaver & Pennock.....	5	Beattie & Miller.....	3
E. H. Farnum.....	5	Miss Clements.....	3
Mrs. W. M. Wiley.....	5	Mrs. J. S. Hawley.....	3
Mrs. A. Hartpence.....	5	Wm. Anspach .....	3
John F. Keen.....	5	Mrs. A. Walker.....	2
Biddle Hardware Co.....	5	J. J. Boswell.....	2
Thos. S. Ellis.....	5	S. B.....	2
Geo. M. Stroud.....	5	S. C. Huey.....	2
Mrs. St. George Campbell..	5	Mrs. H. A. Dreer.....	2



C. & G....	\$2
Thomas Ridgway.....	2
B. W. Beesley.....	2
B. W. R.....	2
Mrs. H. B. Mahn.....	2
“ F. K. Hopple.....	2
T. C. H.....	2
James H. Carr.....	2
R. S. S.....	2
R. B. Davidson.....	2
Mrs. R. P. McC.....	2
L. & G. Ulrich.....	2
Prentice & Fitler.....	2
W. Longstreth & Co.....	2
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T. D. R.....	2
Potter & Musgrove.....	2
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Chas. Hartshorne.....	2
T. K.....	2
W. H. Brown.....	2
Mrs. W. Hogg.....	2
J. H. Thornley.....	2
Chas. Rhoades.....	2
Mrs. R. J. Mercer.....	2
“ John Garrett.....	2
“ Wm. Brokie.....	2
“ A. Jones.....	2
“ W. B. Smith.....	2
W. W. W.....	2
Mrs. H. P. Buswell.....	2
Henry B. Bennett.....	2
J. M.....	2
John Sheppard.....	2
Dr. H. S. Campbell.....	2
Henry McCandless.....	2
John Jamison.....	2
A. R. Shott.....	2
G. B. Baines.....	2
G. N. Pflerger.....	2
Hess, Rodgers & Co.....	2
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S. K. Kille.....	2
S. A. Coyle.....	2
John Alberger.....	2
J. McDonald.....	2

Mrs. M. Frazier.....	\$2
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W. M. S. Taylor.....	2
E. K.....	2
R. L.....	2
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Geddes & Son.....	2
Mrs. M. C. Magargee.....	2
J. C. Allen.....	2
Mrs. T. R. Tunis.....	2
Hughes & Patterson.....	2
Mrs. H. F. Biddle.....	2
“ F. Collins.....	2
“ Sarah T. Curtis.....	2
“ R. Ellis.....	2
“ McCord.....	2
“ G. C. Thomas.....	2
E. C. Smith.....	2
Mrs. Theo. Cuyler.....	2
Mr. A. Nelson.....	2
Miss Kate B. Patton.....	2
C. J. S.....	2
Mrs. M. M. Washington...	2
“ John Gibson.....	2
“ Rebecca Gibson.....	2
“ Patterson.....	2
“ Robert Pettit.....	2
“ W. P. Wilstach.....	2
Thos. G. Brown.....	2
Mrs. R. E. Grosbeck.....	2
“ W. A. Porter.....	2
“ Buffum.....	2
Miss M. L. Buffum.....	2
Mrs. Da Costa.....	2
“ W. W. Paul.....	2
“ Price.....	2
“ E. P. Borden.....	2
“ C. J. Hoffman.....	2
D. E. Trainer & Co.....	2
Mrs. J. W. Bates.....	2 50
“ J. P. Wood.....	2
“ W. N. Sinclair.....	2
“ G. M. A. C. P.....	2
Mrs. G. W. Huntington...	2
“ Collier.....	2
“ John Gilbert.....	2
“ M. B. Stockham.....	2
“ Wm. Elliott.....	2



Mrs. Harlen .....	\$2	Mrs. O. Thompson.....	\$1
“ J. P. Ellison.. ...	2	“ E. H. Weill.....	1
Friend.....	2	“ Lewis R. Ashurst....	1
Mrs. J. C. Cornelius.....	2	“ W. P. Conover, Jr....	1
“ A. E. Loughshore, M.D.	2	“ Emily Conover.....	1
Geo. Russell.....	2	C. R.....	1
Mrs. Edwin Hall.....	2	Mrs. F. Paull.....	1
“ P. C. Erben.....	2	Miss Sagers.....	1
“ J. K. Baker.....	2	Mrs. R. L. Davis.....	1
“ Henry Handy.....	2	“ M. Barclay.....	1
“ J. M. Wilson.....	2	“ D. Smith.....	1
“ J. J. Houston.....	2	S. L.....	1
“ Jefferies.....	2	Mrs. Joseph Rowland....	1
“ C. P. Dinsmore.....	2	“ S. C. Hurley.....	1
“ J. D. Potts.....	2	F. E. T.....	1 50
“ M. S. McC.....	2	A. J. De Camp.....	1
“ J. R. Ludlow.....	2	Mrs. J. Robbins.....	1
“ Howard Challen.. ...	2	“ J. C. Morgan.....	1
“ S. M. Potts.....	2	“ W. W. Keen.....	1
“ D. H. Dangler.. ...	2	“ F. C. Koons. ....	1
“ C. B. Keen.....	2	“ Allen.....	1
“ Malcolm M. Walker..	2	“ D. Brooks.....	1
“ W. Nelson West.....	2	“ Susan B. Greble.....	1
“ Wm. Stevenson.....	2	“ W. W. Harrison.....	1
“ S. E. McFadden.....	2	L. S.....	1
“ Isaac Kay.....	2	Mrs. K. S. Wheeler.....	1
“ C. J. Field. ....	2	“ P. J. Potter.....	1
“ Dr. Fairland.....	2	Mr. Joseph Davidson.....	1
Mr. E. H. Williams.....	2	Mrs. Geo. Earp .....	1
“ S. M. Palmer.....	2	“ Henry Maule.....	1
“ E. H. Wilson.....	2	“ J. H. Redfield.....	1
“ W. H. Powell.....	2	“ H. P. Ambler.....	1
“ G. M. Troutman.....	2	“ J. F. Baltz.....	1
“ Burton Carver .....	2	“ Geo. Russell.....	1
Dr. S. B. Howell.....	2	“ R. Cresswell.....	1
Mrs. S. S. Walkley.....	2	“ Wm. Porter.....	1
“ C. S. Huhs.....	2	T. Mitchell.....	1
“ H. G. Sterling.....	2	Mrs. E. A. Pierce.....	1
“ J. C. Roop....	2	“ Thos. G. Hood .....	1
“ M. R. Zehnder.....	2	“ Sam'l Hood.....	1
Francis Stokes.....	2	“ Chas. Young.....	1
Mrs. John Doyle.....	2	J. Griffith.....	1
F. Knight.....	1	Mrs. R. Cornelius.....	1
Mrs. Andrew Wheeler....	1	“ H. W. Pitkin.....	1
“ C. R. Rowland.....	1	“ P. McCaul.....	1
“ John Ashmead.....	1	“ D. Thain.....	1
“ J. C. Farr.....	1	Dr. Beirens.....	1

Mrs. M. P. Grayson.....	\$1	Mrs. S. S. Townsend.....	\$1
“ Mary T. Mustin.....	1	“ D. S. Craven.....	1
“ S. M. Busch.....	1	“ A. L. Van Sant.....	1
“ L. A. Smith.....	1	“ Ida Simpson.....	1
“ H. Graw.....	1	“ Geo. Whiteley.....	1
“ D. Crabb.....	1	“ A. H. Julian.....	1
“ N. B. Brown.....	1	W. B. H.....	1
“ J. W. Dulles.....	1	M. E. Darlington .....	1
“ S. C. Henderson.....	1	Mrs. Phipps.....	1
“ C. W. Schwartz.....	1	“ C. Williams .....	1
Miss N. J. Blakeston.....	1	“ B. H. Haines.....	1
“ Blakeston.....	1	Mr. R. C. Thudium .....	1
Mrs. R. B. Smith.....	1	“ F. T. Webster.....	1
“ A. C. Cattell.....	1 50	“ H. Godley.....	1
Mrs. Aldrick .....	1	Mrs. Kate G. Rowley.....	1
“ Bremer.....	1	“ H. Bryant.....	1
“ C. B. Barrett.....	1	Mrs. W. B. Knowles.....	1
“ Burnham.....	1	“ Gheen.....	1
“ Mary Scott.....	1	“ C. C. Lister.....	1
“ Patterson.....	1	“ F. B. Schell.....	1
“ M. J. Abbott.....	1	S. C. Palmer.....	1
W. M. Sprankle.....	1	H. L. F. & Bro.....	1
Mrs. Jesse G. Riley.....	1	Girard Fire Ins. Co.....	1
“ M. Ray.....	1	Edw. Brown.....	1
“ C. F. Sargent....	1	H. S. Summers .....	1
Miss Alexander.....	1	J. N. E.....	1
Mrs. J. W. McCaskey....	1	Wm. Dennis.....	1
“ N. S. Beekley.....	1	Mrs. W. Gullinger.....	1
Mr. W. G. Rhoades.....	1	Ivens & Dietz.....	1
Mrs. H. M. Decheret.....	1	John Du Ross.....	1
“ H. M. Lewis.....	1	W. W. A.....	1
“ M. A. Wurts.....	1	W. H. Whitall.....	1
“ L. V. Mount.....	1 50	J. Robertson.....	1
“ Enoch Lewis.....	1	Mrs. E. Hewett.....	1
J. Bateman.....	1	“ Thos. Cunningham...	1
Mr. A. R. Horter.....	1	“ C. Downs.....	1
Mrs. D. J. Hoar.....	1	“ Bishop Simpson.....	1
“ C. O. Holmes.....	1	“ P. Walker .....	1
“ Wm. Rutter.....	1	J. W. Wilson .....	1
“ Dr. Small.....	1	Mrs. W. Loyd.....	1 50
“ Rosenbach.....	1	Thos. J. Worrell.....	1
“ Annie Caley.....	1	Mrs. J. M. Arrison.....	1
“ D. C. Harrington....	1	Henry E. Kenne.....	1
“ E. Metzger.....	1	A. Thompson.....	1
“ E. W. Parrish.....	1	Mrs. David Jones .....	1
“ A. K. P. Trask.....	1	John Ashbridge.....	1
“ Thos. H. Belcher....	1	C. G. Adams.....	1



Mrs. David Hale .....	\$1
S. E. W. ....	1
Mrs. C. J. Shipley .....	1
“ J. E. Rhoades .....	1
Mr. E. A. Smith .....	1
Frank C. Hall .....	1
D. Mathew .....	1
A. & B. ....	1
A. F. ....	1
C. S. E. ....	1
W. M. & Co. ....	1
A. R. McCown .....	1
R. Barker ....	1
C. B. Miller .....	1
W. McLean .....	1
Theo. Oves .....	1
Mrs. E. Hartley .....	1
“ A. G. Reid .....	1
“ C. W. Sandeman .....	1
H. Tunison .....	1
Chas. Camblos .....	1 50
A. W. L. Langstroth .....	50
S. G. Reeves .....	4
Mrs. E. H. Butler .....	7

*Collections and Donations through*

**MRS. GEORGE PLITT.**

Miss N. B. Peters .....	\$10
In Memory of S. L. ....	5
Mrs. Frank Lathrop .....	5
“ George Plitt .....	5
Miss E. C. Brown .....	5
Mrs. E. Hutchinson .....	3
“ Ellwood Davis .....	5
“ Charles Taylor .....	5
“ Fred'k Brown, Jr. ....	5
“ Augustus Edwards ..	2
“ H. Pratt McKean ...	10
J. C. L. ....	5
Mrs. Henry Seybert .....	5
“ Bloomfield Moore ...	5
Miss Fotterall .....	5
Mrs. J. Edgar Thompson.	10
Miss Lola Foster .....	5
Mrs. Wm. Bacon Stevens.	5
A Friend to Mission, through Mr. S. ....	5

Miss Baldwin .....	\$10
Rev. Jas. Saul .....	10
Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Smith..	10

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St. Andrew's P. E. Church	\$20
Miss Metcalfe .....	16
Mrs. Saml. Field .....	10
Tabitha J. Stokes .....	5
Miss E. Justice .....	5
Through Mrs. J. M.	12
Aerston .....	12
Mr. S. S. White .....	25
“ Chas. Macalister .....	5
Mrs. Benj. Hutchinson ...	5
“ Adeline Sager .....	5
“ H. D. Landis .....	5
Miss Mary Bruere .....	10
Mrs. Ralston .....	2 50
H. G. ....	5
Miss J. Wiltberger .....	1
Mrs. T. P. Smith .....	1
Miss Pettit .....	1
Presbyterian .....	1
Miss E. B. Wheeler .....	1
Mrs. Emily Pepper .....	2
Mr. W. P. Pepper .....	5
Mrs. E. Finley .....	1
Miss H. C. Bunting ...	2
Mrs. F. Bacon .....	5
Mr. F. Bacon .....	5
A Friend .....	20
Mrs. J. Hardie .....	2

*Collections and Donations through*

**MRS. S. M. LYTTLE.**

Mrs. C. W. Lawrence .....	\$2
“ A. J. Thayer .....	1
“ E. W. C. ....	1
Miss De Waile .....	1
“ Blanchard .....	5
“ Peterson .....	1
“ J. Peterson .....	1
“ E. Peterson .....	1
Mrs. F. Fairthorne .....	1



Mrs. Thumb.....	\$1
“ M. Ramsey.....	2
“ Robbins.....	1
“ Ashmead.....	1
“ Cross.....	1
“ Armstrong.....	1
“ Stevens.....	1
“ E. Toy.....	1
“ Bodine.....	1
“ A. F. Lex.....	5
“ Wm. Whittaker.....	1
“ Spooner.....	1
“ Early.....	1
“ T. L. Foster.....	5
“ Penbrie.....	2
Miss E. N.....	1
Mrs. Wm. Berger.....	1
“ Rand.....	1
Mrs. J. H. Smith.....	2
Robert Fairthorne.....	1
Mrs. G. Earp.....	2
“ Vanharlingen.....	2
“ Smucker.....	1
Mrs. S. Moore.....	1
Miss Maggie Moore.....	1
“ Marion Moore.....	1
“ F. Anable.....	1
“ Beck.....	5
Mrs. Doctor McClintock.....	1
Miss Wilder.....	1
Mrs. Lyttle.....	2
“ Cahoon.....	1
“ Corbit.....	5
Miss T. Erby.....	2
“ Caldwell.....	5
Mrs. Longacre.....	2
Special.....	4 50
P. De Waile.....	1
Mrs. Cattell.....	1

*Collections and Donations through*

### **Mrs. R. G. STOTESBURY.**

Mrs. J. L. Crozer.....	\$100
“ Gustavus C. Knowles.....	100
Miss Mary J. Lewis.....	5
The Misses Smith.....	4
Mrs. Emma Merritt.....	5

Mrs. John Love.....	\$5
Miss Emily Page.....	5
Mrs. Washington Page..	5
“ H. B. Tatham.....	10
“ H. J. Bayard.....	5
“ Susan Phillips.....	2
“ Wm. Lewis.....	5
“ Israel Maull.....	2

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### **MRS. B. H. CARDEZA.**

Jenny Wren.....	\$5
Joseph C. Noblit.....	25
Mrs. Clemesen.....	3
“ Alex. Valentine.....	2
“ L. Morriss.....	5
“ B. H. C.....	5

*Collections and Donations through*

### **MRS. F. HOSKINS.**

Mr. Alex. Brown.....	\$25
Miss Emslie.....	5
“ Schott.....	2
Mrs. Taylor.....	1
“ Engle.....	5

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### **MRS. MARY ADAMS.**

Mrs. L. C. Shober.....	\$25
“ Bowie.....	10
“ Ed. Townsend.....	3
“ J. Hockley.....	2 50
“ Walsh.....	2
Mr. & Mrs. Toby.....	4
Mrs. A. Jones.....	1
“ Fogo.....	2
“ Lewis.....	2
Miss M. A. White.....	3 50
Mrs. R. Horner.....	5
Mrs. Howell.....	5
From P. E. Church of the Epiphany.....	50
Miss A. Hockley.....	2
Mrs. Wiegand.....	5

Miss F. Lewis.....	\$5	Total Collection during	
Misses Harley.....	5	year.....	\$3,360 50
Miss Peters.....	3	Country Home during	
Mrs. & Miss Burns.....	2	year.....	95
Miss M. Stratton.....	2 50	Reserve Fund, Country	
Mrs. M. Newkirk.....	3	Home, last report..	1,500
" Jacobs.....	1	Balance on hand last	
A Friend.....	1	year.....	62 36
Miss M. Hockley....	2 50		
Sewing Rooms.....	305	Total.....	\$5,017 86
Sundry Cash, &c.....	101		





RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES.

Reserve Fund for Coun- try Home from last Report.....	\$1,500 00
Balance on hand.....	62 36
Country Home during year.....	95 00
Collections for year....	3,360 50
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	\$5,017 86

House expenses, inclu- ding Provisions, Sala- ries, Clothing, Tax- es, etc.....	\$2,796 68
Insurance, Coal, Gas, &c.....	145 66
Printing, including An- nual Report, Tracts, &c., Postage, Adver- tising, Stationery....	169 00
Reserve Fund Country Home.....	1,500 00
Repairs, &c.....	196 93
Balance on hand.....	209 59
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	\$5,017 86

Memorial Fund to Mrs. Wm. Bucknell (invested in Building  
for the Mission by Wm. Bucknell, Esq.) .....\$5,000 00

SAMUEL S. COREY,  
*Treasurer.*

Examined and found correct.

(Signed) W. A. FARR,  
R. G. CURTIN.

## DONATIONS.

The following donations have been received for our new bath house : Balderston & Albertson, Carpenter Work, \$40.56. Maull & Bro., Lumber, \$50.92. J. W. & C. H. Reeves, Plastering, &c., \$22.88. Jos. McFetrich, Plumbing and Bath Tub. Isaac S. Williams & Co., Tin for Roof, \$10.00. Bodine & Cavanaugh, and Collins West, Painting. Truman & Shaw, Hardware. Sellers & Bro., Wire Screens.

10 Flower Pots, Mrs. J. L. Crozer. 10 Pounds Candies, Mrs. W. H. Allen. Articles of Dress, &c., Mrs. R. Stotesbury. Dresses and Clothing from Mrs. Cleveland. Mrs. Stewart, Candies and Cakes for Christmas. Wiltbank & Scattergood, Candies for New Years. Nice Books from First Day's Society. Brooms, Brushes, &c., &c., &c., from Mr. Thomas Cooper. Wm. McMullen, Jr., Currants and Raisins for Christmas. Mr. Williams, goods amounting to \$5.00. Bringsinghoffer, Combs and Brushes. J. M. Hall, Large Turkey for Thanksgiving. Nice assortment of Books from Porter & Coates. Earthenware from Tyndale & Mitchell, amounting to \$5. A nice assortment of Books from Friends Association Room, 109 N. Tenth Street. Inscho & Thomas, Candies for Christmas.

All the above through Mrs. M. T. Palmer.





## BY-LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS.

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### MEMBERSHIP

The Board of Managers shall be elected at the Annual Meeting, on the first Tuesday in January; but vacancies may be filled at any time by the Board.

### OFFICERS.

A President, a Secretary and a Treasurer shall be elected by the Managers after the Annual Meeting in January. In case of death or resignation, their places may be filled at any regular meeting of the Board, one month's notice having been previously given.

### DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

The President shall have charge of all meetings of the Managers. In case of his absence, a temporary chairman shall be appointed.

The Secretary shall keep accurate minutes of all meetings of the Association; shall give notice to all Managers of all meetings of the Board; shall notify all members of committees of their appointments, and perform such other duties as are usually requisite to such office.

The Treasurer shall have charge of all moneys belonging to the Association, and shall disburse them in accordance with the By-Laws. He shall present at each meeting all bills paid by him during the previous month, and render a report of the condition of the Treasury.

### MEETINGS.

Meetings shall be held on the first Monday of each month, except July and August, five members constituting a quorum for the transaction of business.

Special Meetings shall be called by the Secretary at the request of two members.

## ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1st. Prayer.
- 2d. Reading of the Minutes.
- 3d. Communications.
- 4th Reports of Secretary and Treasurer.
- 5th. Reports of Standing Committees.
- 6th. Reports of Special Committees.
- 7th. Unfinished Business.
- 8th. New Business.

## COMMITTEES.

At the first meeting in January, the President shall appoint the following Standing Committees : Admission and Dismission, Midnight Meetings, Finance, Household, Clothing, each of which shall consist of three members.

## DUTIES OF COMMITTEES.

ADMISSION AND DISMISSION.—They shall have the entire control of the admission and dismission of every inmate.

MEETINGS.—They shall have charge of the Thursday and Sunday evening meetings, and of such other meetings as may be directed by the Board.

FINANCE.—This Committee shall supervise the raising of money, and have charge of the investments of all funds in connection with the Treasurer, and its chairman shall countersign all bills before payment.

HOUSEHOLD.—This Committee shall have charge of all the inner workings of the House, excepting the duties assigned to the Committee of Admission and Dismission, and Clothing.

CLOTHING.—This Committee shall provide proper clothing and bedding for the House.

The Board shall elect such subordinate officers of the House as shall be required.

## AMENDMENTS.

Amendments to these By-Laws or Rules may be made at any meeting of the Board, providing that at least one month's notice shall have been given, and that the Secretary shall have notified each member in writing of such proposed alterations.





## NOTICE.

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*If any person will inform any of the Managers of the fact of a Girl being detained in a House of Ill-fame against her will, means will be taken for her rescue.*

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## FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath ..... Dollars  
to the "*Midnight Mission*," established in the City of  
Philadelphia, and incorporated in the year 1871.

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## Form of Devise of Real Estate.

I give and devise to the "*Midnight Mission*," established in the City of Philadelphia, and incorporated in the year 1871, all that (*here describe the property,*) for them to use and dispose of in any manner that will promote the object and interest of the said Midnight Mission.

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## Extract from Laws of Pennsylvania.

By Act of Assembly of 26th of April, 1855, a devise or bequest to charitable uses is void, unless it be done by will, and attested by two credible and disinterested witnesses, at least (30) THIRTY DAYS *before the death of the testator.*